Worthy Gentlemen

The Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts have consented to your Request in appointing Mr Sturgeon to be their Assistant to the Worthy Rector of your Church in the Offices of Religion, upon your promise to make such an Addition to the Society's Salary of £30 ℔ Annum to Mr Sturgeon as Catechist to the Negroes, as shall be a comfortable and decent Maintenance for him; not doubting of your making good this Promise in the most liberal Sense, and hoping that Mr Sturgeon, by his prudent Conduct, Diligence in his Station, and good Life will deserve it of you, and heartily recommending you to Gods Blessing

I am
Gentlemen
Your very Obedient Humble
Servant

London Charterhouse
May 28th 1747.

Philip Bearcroft
Secretary

Dr Bearcroft's
Letter on
Mr Sturgeon's Ap-
pointment

To
The Churchwardens & Vestry
of Christ Church in Philadelphia

Pennsylvania